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12 June 1970

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Allen Dulles Estate Records

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1. [REDACTED] called. He stated that in connection with his examination of the Dulles papers he has had occasion to speak to Mrs. Dulles. During her conversation, he stated that he detected a desire on her part to have some of the papers returned to her. He feels that she would be interested in looking at them herself. He also detected a slight feeling that the Agency may be holding these papers unnecessarily.

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2. [REDACTED] stated that he feels that he has resolved any problems that may have existed but that he would suggest that the two drawers of papers which he has examined and which he considers to be completely beyond the scope of Agency interest, from both a policy and security standpoint, now be returned to Mrs. Dulles. He stated that he has the verbal approval of Mr. Houston.

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3. I advised [REDACTED] that there is absolutely no security objection to his proposal. In view of Mr. Bannerman's interest in the disposition of the Dulles papers I advised him of the above. He concurs.

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Deputy Director of Security

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